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9	Kimball, Christopher	CDR	O5	2500	N131-1673	Christian	Immunizations	CONUS SHORE	CNR HAWAII	HI, PEARL HARBOR	AC		Here	Health/Safety of the Force
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Least Restrictive Means Analysis	Synopsis: Full Range of the facts	Synopsis: Full Range of the facts	Synopsis: Full Range of the facts
	Member's Request	CO's Endorsement	Chief of Chaplains
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All alternative measures for preventing spread of disease are insufficient due to unique circumstances inherent in naval service. Vaccination is the only viable option for achieving the compelling interest. Immunity is not instantaneous, and Sailors assigned to Shore Duty must be ready to deploy at a moment's notice.	CDR Kimball is attached to Navy Region Hawaii requests to be waived from the requirement to receive a COVID-19 vaccine. The request is based on an asserted objection to use of a cell line that originated with cells from a fetus that was likely aborted to test the Pfizer and Moderna vaccines. The Johnson & Johnson vaccine was developed from a similar cell line. CDR Kimball asserts that risk of COVID-19 transmission is low in his case because he has an office with floor-to-ceiling walls and is able to telework extensively. He has a pending retirement for July 2022 with anticipated terminal leave for March 2022.	CO's endorsement recommends approval.	Chaplain states their beliefs are sincere.

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Synopsis: Full Range of the facts	Synopsis: Full Range of the facts	N13 Recommendation
BUMED	Legal	
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BUMED recommends disapproval based on significant medical risks associated with granting such a waiver.	Legal states it is not legally objectionable to disapprove the request.	Recommend disapproval of the request due to the negative impact to military readiness and health of the force.
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